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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56, the attention of the Patent and Trademark Office is hereby directed to the reference listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. A copy of the literature reference listed on Form PTO-1449 is attached.

The reference listed on Form PTO-1449 was cited in an Office Action mailed July 31, 2009 in corresponding European Patent Application No. 04 728 948.3. A copy of the Office Action is enclosed.

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It is respectfully requested that this information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that this reference be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees due to Deposit Account No. 19-4293.

Respectfully submitted,

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